

I write with concern about Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air a political documentarty that criticizes one presidential candidate without giving equal air time to criticize the opposing candidate. In essence, Sinclair is forcing its stations to air a political advertisement, shortly before the election. This presents a clearly slanted favoritism, and is inappropriate.

The airwaves are publicly owned, and Sinclair is obligated by law to serve the public interest, rather than make clearly one-sided partisan decisions without balance.

Sinclair is not serving all of the public by forcing its stations to play a documentary favoring (or slandering) one candidate over another. I strongly urge the FCC to to strengthen media ownership rules preventing monopolization of the airwaves, and urge the FCC to strengthen its license review and renewal process.

I look forward to hearing from you on this critical matter.

Sincerely yours,